

Livestock Futures – Close 03/12/15					Market Prices on Iowa/Minnesota Direct Hogs – Delivered to the Plant (Price/cwt)					
Live Hogs	Feeder Cattle	Live Cattle			Friday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	
Apr 62.30	Mar 214.67	Apr 155.80			49-51 % Lean Carcass	55.00-64.50	57.00-64.00	No prices	55.00-63.00	53.00-62.00
May 72.25	Apr 212.90	Jun 146.62			Live Sows (450-500 lbs)	25.00-39.00	19.00-42.00	30.06-44.00	25.00-41.00	20.00-42.00
Jun 75.77	May 211.92	Aug 144.62			Live Sows (500 lbs & Up)	26.00-41.40	31.31-43.00	35.50-45.00	35.50-43.23	28.00-43.36
Slaughter & Replacement Class Goats at NC Weekly Livestock Auctions Avg Price/head Muscle Designation Estimated Weight Kids Selection 1-2 20-80 lbs 39.00-103.00 Yearlings Selection 1-2 60-100 lbs 130.00-200.00 Does Selection 1-2 50-100 lbs 72.00-140.00 Selection 1-2 100-140 lbs 145.00-150.00 Bucks Selection 1-2 70-100 lbs 129.00-135.00 Selection 1-2 100-150 lbs 176.00-185.00 Selection 1-2 150-250 lbs 205.00-280.00					Estimated Hog Slaughter Under Federal Inspection This Week Last Year Fri 410,000 414,000 Mon 432,000 407,000 Tue 428,000 412,000 Wed 433,000 416,000 Thu 433,000 407,000			North Carolina Production Cost Report (Weekly) Production cost items statewide: cash prices bag, FOB distributor, per ton unless otherwise stated. Fertilizer in granular form unless noted. Product Offer Avg Price 18-46-0 624.00-765.00 673.00 18-46-0, Bulk 584.00-725.00 633.00 10-10-10 334.00-538.00 476.40 10-10-10, Bulk 294.00-498.00 430.50 6-3-18 660.00-712.00 685.67 6-3-18, Bulk 620.00-672.00 654.67 5-10-30 434.00-635.00 560.67 5-10-30, Bulk 394.00-595.00 520.67 Lime 155.60-235.00 194.32 Lime, Powder 130.00-190.00 165.33 Lime, Spread 30.80-48.00 41.56 Potash 524.00-650.00 568.00 Potash, Bulk 484.00-610.00 515.80 Calcium Nitrate 528.00-720.00 584.50 Ammonia Sulfate 386.00-500.00 452.00 Ammonia Sulfate, Bulk 346.00-430.00 389.00 Liquid Nitrogen, 30%-32% 321.00-375.00 343.80 Farm Diesel Fuel Per gallon <1000 Gallons 2.30-2.45 2.36		
					National Direct Feeder Pig Summary Week Ending 03/06/2015 Receipts: 96,655 Prices are weighted average per head basis. Formula Cash 10 Lbs 42.27 43.74 40 Lbs ----- 71.63 Pigs sold direct to farm. Delivered pigs include freight and commission. Estimated 50-54% lean value at base slaughter weights. 10 pounders, 19 days or under.					
					Five Area Weekly Weighted Averages for Direct Cattle – Negotiated Feedlots in TX-OK, KS, CO, NE, IA-MN, Beef Breeds Week ending 03/08/2015 Live Basis Sales Head %Choice Avg Weight Avg Price/cwt Steers 4,979 35-65 1,352 161.23 Heifers 2,407 35-65 1,214 160.92 Dressed Basis Sales (Paid on hot weights) Steers 959 35-65 854 257.35 Heifers 173 35-65 950 259.00 Total Weighted 71,174					
					Oklahoma National Stockyards – Weekly Summary 03/10/2015 Compared to last week: Due to limited receipts last week no trend available; however all classes of feeder cattle and calves are selling with a sharply higher undertone. Feeder Steers: M&L-1 347 lbs 352.00; 381 lbs 333.62; 430 lbs 304.46; 480 lbs 284.82; 525 lbs 286.02. Feeder Heifers: M&L-1 393 lbs 287.34; 424 lbs 280.03; 475 lbs 266.52.					
Southeast Weekly Hay Report – 03/12/2015 Bermuda Grass – Quoted by ton FOB Producer Barn Premium Good Fair Round 1500 lbs 133.33 Round 1000 lbs 70.00-130.00 75.00 Square 55 lbs 180.00-300.00 160.00										
National Direct Sow Report – 03/12/15 – Price/cwt Total sows purchased (Live and Carcass Basis) 6,086 Live Wt Range Head Count Avg Wt Price Range Wtd Avg 300-399 lbs 1,227 371 19.00-40.00 32.38 400-449 lbs 1,290 426 24.00-41.00 31.94 450-499 lbs 1,077 474 20.00-42.00 36.05 500-549 lbs 1,301 524 35.50-43.00 39.10 550/Up lbs 813 588 28.00-44.05 39.58										